# INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

| ١ | <b>7,1</b>             |               |
|---|------------------------|---------------|
| , | Attorney Docket Number | 3790/66249    |
|   | Application Number     | 10/632,680    |
|   | Filing Date            | July 31, 2003 |
|   | First Named Inventor   | Siddiqui      |
|   | Art Unit               | 1751          |
|   | Examiner Name          | Unknown       |
|   |                        |               |

## **U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

NOTE: If this application was filed after June 30, 2003, copies of United States patents and United States published patent applications do not have to be provided to the Patent Office. This requirement of 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(i) has been waived by the United States Patent and Trademark Office pursuant to the Official Gazette Notice on August 5, 2003 (1276 OG 55).

| Examiner's<br>Initials* | Cite No.<br>(optional) | Number    | Publication Date | Name of Applicant or Patentee |
|-------------------------|------------------------|-----------|------------------|-------------------------------|
| DU                      |                        | 4,670,255 | 6/2/87           | Yoshizumi et al.              |
| ٦٠                      |                        | 4,745,103 | 5/17/88          | Oono et al.                   |
| 0~                      |                        | 5,156,836 | 10/20/92         | Uchikawa et al.               |
| DU                      |                        | 5,215,760 | 6/1/93           | Kavoussi et al.               |
| nu                      | -                      | 5,470,876 | 11/28/95         | Proctor                       |
| n c                     |                        | 5,605,929 | 2/25/97          | Liao et al.                   |
| n                       |                        | 5,674,497 | 10/7/97          | Kuwana et al.                 |
| nu                      |                        | 5,702,691 | 12/30/97         | Ichinose et al.               |
| n                       |                        | 5,747,016 | 5/5/98           | Yui et al.                    |
| n-                      |                        | 5,750,107 | 5/12/98          | Nomura                        |
| ١٧                      |                        | 5,750,108 | 5/12/98          | Edwards                       |
| p-                      |                        | 5,853,728 | 12/29/98         | Tanabe et al.                 |
| DU                      |                        | 5,876,703 | 3/2/99           | Ichinose et al.               |
| PV                      |                        | 5,900,239 | 5/4/99           | Mai et al.                    |
| nu                      |                        | 5,972,345 | 10/26/99         | Chizick et al.                |
| 20                      |                        | 6,025,312 | 2/15/00          | Saito et al.                  |

| EXAMINER   | DATE        |         |
|------------|-------------|---------|
| SIGNATURE: | CONSIDERED: | 4/14/05 |

<sup>\*</sup> Examiner: Initial if reference considered, whether or not in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through cite if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

# INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

| Attorney Docket Number | 3790/66249    |  |  |
|------------------------|---------------|--|--|
| Application Number     | 10/632,680    |  |  |
| Filing Date            | July 31, 2003 |  |  |
| First Named Inventor   | Siddiqui      |  |  |
| Art Unit               | 1751          |  |  |
| Examiner Name          | Unknown       |  |  |

#### **U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

NOTE: If this application was filed after June 30, 2003, copies of United States patents and United States published patent applications do not have to be provided to the Patent Office. This requirement of 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(i) has been waived by the United States Patent and Trademark Office pursuant to the Official Gazette Notice on August 5, 2003 (1276 OG 55).

| Examiner's<br>Initials* | Cite No.<br>(optional) | Number       | Publication Date | Name of Applicant or Patentee |
|-------------------------|------------------------|--------------|------------------|-------------------------------|
| 0-                      |                        | 6,045,801    | 4/4/00           | Miyauchi et al.               |
| 1-                      |                        | 6,123,934    | 9/26/00          | Koyama et al.                 |
| 0 ·                     |                        | 6,126,940    | 10/3/00          | Takahashi et al.              |
| 1-                      |                        | 6,139,828    | 10/31/00         | McCullough                    |
| 1-                      |                        | 6,139,852    | 10/31/00         | Takeoka et al.                |
| 0-                      |                        | 6,174,885 B1 | 1/16/01          | Fukunishi et al.              |
| 0-                      |                        | 6,177,067 B1 | 1/23/01          | Magara et al.                 |
| 1-                      |                        | 6,190,678 B1 | 2/20/01          | Hasenoehrl et al.             |
| nu                      |                        | 6,194,468 B1 | 2/27/01          | Hattori et al.                |
| pu                      |                        | 6,207,694 B1 | 3/27/01          | Murad                         |
| PC                      |                        | 6,208,757 B1 | 3/27/01 -        | Sinden                        |
| 110                     |                        | 6,231,877 B1 | 5/15/01          | Vacher et al.                 |
| N                       |                        | 6,239,164 B1 | 5/29/01          | Steiner et al.                |
| nu                      |                        | 6,255,313 B1 | 7/3/01           | Suzuki et al.                 |
| nU                      |                        | 6,271,246 B1 | 8/7/01           | Murad                         |
| 11                      |                        | 6,312,675 B1 | 11/6/01          | Deane                         |

| EXAMINER SIGNATURE: DATE CONSIDER | RED: 4/14/05 |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
|-----------------------------------|--------------|

<sup>\*</sup> Examiner: Initial if reference considered, whether or not in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through cite if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

# INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

| Attorney Docket Number | 3790/66249    |  |  |
|------------------------|---------------|--|--|
| Application Number     | 10/632,680    |  |  |
| Filing Date            | July 31, 2003 |  |  |
| First Named Inventor   | Siddiqui      |  |  |
| Art Unit               | 1751          |  |  |
| Examiner Name          | Unknown       |  |  |

## **U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

NOTE: If this application was filed after June 30, 2003, copies of United States patents and United States published patent applications do not have to be provided to the Patent Office. This requirement of 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(i) has been waived by the United States Patent and Trademark Office pursuant to the Official Gazette Notice on August 5, 2003 (1276 OG 55).

| Examiner's<br>Initials* | Cite No.<br>(optional) | Number       | Publication Date | Name of Applicant or Patentee |
|-------------------------|------------------------|--------------|------------------|-------------------------------|
| 0-                      |                        | 6,333,040 B1 | 12/25/01         | Boyxen et al.                 |
| nu                      |                        | 6,333,057 B1 | 12/25/01         | Crandall                      |
| n-                      |                        | 6,338,855 B1 | 1/15/02          | Albacarys et al.              |
| Nu                      |                        | 6,346,279 B1 | 2/12/02          | Rochon                        |
| . 10                    |                        | 6,358,541 B1 | 3/19/02          | Goodman                       |
| PV                      |                        | 6,371,993 B1 | 4/16/02          | Moeller et al.                |
| NU                      |                        | 6,372,234 B1 | 4/16/02          | Deckers et al.                |
| 10                      |                        | 6,376,557 B1 | 4/23/02          | Zaveri                        |
| NU                      |                        | 6,403,110 B1 | 6/11/02          | Siddiqui et al.               |
|                         | 1                      | <b>}</b>     |                  |                               |

| EXAMINER SIGNATURE! | DATE<br>CONSIDERED: | 4/14/08                                 |
|---------------------|---------------------|---|
|                     |                     | • |

<sup>\*</sup> Examiner: Initial if reference considered, whether or not in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through cite if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

KMH:elb 04/23/063/90-65249/0372502.doc

# INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

| Attorney Docket Number | 3790-66249       |
|------------------------|------------------|
| Application Number     | 10/632,680       |
| Filing Date            | July 31, 2003    |
| First Named Inventor   | Siddiqui         |
| Art Unit               | 1751             |
| Examiner Name          | Not yet assigned |

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

NOTE: If this application was filed after June 30, 2003, copies of United States patents and United States published patent applications do not have to be provided to the Patent Office. This requirement of 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(i) has been waived by the United States Patent and Trademark Office pursuant to the Official Gazette Notice on August 5, 2003 (1276 OG 55).

| Examiner's Initials* | Cite No.<br>(optional) | Number         | Publication Date | Name of Applicant or Patentee |
|----------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------|-------------------------------|
| pJ                   |                        | 5,641,480      | 06/24/1997       | Vermeer                       |
| 10                   |                        | US2002/0009472 | 01/24/2002       | Takekoshi et al.              |
|                      |                        |                |                  |                               |
| <del></del>          |                        |                |                  |                               |

# FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

| Cite No.<br>(optional) | Country              | Number                     | Publication Date  | Name of<br>Applicant or Patentee   |
|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|---|--|
|                        | Japan                | JP409263531A<br>(Abstract) | 10/07/997   | Yoshino et al.   |
|                        |                      | ·                          |   |  |
|                        |                      |                            |   |  |
| Cite No.<br>(optional) |                      | OTI                        | HER DOCUMENTS   | 3  |
|                        |                      |                            |   | · · · · · ·  |
|                        |                      |                            |   |  |
|                        | (optional)  Cite No. | Cite No. (optional)        | Cite No. (optional)  Country  INUMBER  Japan  JP409263531A  (Abstract)  OTI | Cite No. (optional)  Country  Number Publication Date  Publication Date  OTHER DOCUMENTS |

| EXAMINER<br>SIGNATURE: | DATE<br>CONSIDERED: | 3/16/05 |
|------------------------|---------------------|---------|
|------------------------|---------------------|---------|

<sup>\*</sup> Examiner: Initial if reference considered, whether or not in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through cite if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.